

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1 1. A method for managing dynamic resource reassignment within a system
2 comprising the steps of:

3 tagging first missing resources in a system error log which are missing because
4 of reassignment;

5 querying a configuration database in said system for resources identified as
6 missing resources and adding said missing resources to a missing resource List as second
7 missing resources;

8 updating said missing resource List by deleting any of said tagged first missing
9 resources which are included in said missing resource List as second missing resources;
10 and

11 executing a missing resource options procedure on missing resources in said
12 updated missing resource List.

1 2. The method of claim 1, wherein said dynamic resource reassignment occurs
2 between logical partitions (LPARs) of said system.

1 3. The method of claim 2, wherein said missing resources are tagged in response to
2 reassignment from a first one of said LPARs of said system to a second one of said
LPARs of said system.

1 4. The method of claim 1, wherein said configuration database is a configuration
2 database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.

1 5. A computer program product for managing dynamic resource reassignment within
2 a system, said computer program product embodied in a machine readable medium,
3 including programming for a processor, said computer program comprising a program
4 of instructions for performing the program steps of:

5 tagging first missing resources in a system error log which are missing because
6 of reassignment;

7 querying a configuration database in said system for resources identified as
8 missing resources and adding said missing resources to a missing resource List as second
9 missing resources;

10 updating said missing resource List by deleting any of said tagged first missing
11 resources which are included in said missing resource List as second missing resources;
12 and

13 executing a missing resource options procedure on missing resources in said
14 updated missing resource List.

1 6. The computer program product of claim 5, wherein said dynamic resource
2 reassignment occurs between logical partitions (LPARs) of said system.

1 7. The computer program product of claim 6, wherein said missing resources are
2 tagged in response to reassignment from a first one of said LPARs of said system to a
 second one of said LPARs of said system.

1 8. The computer program product of claim 5, wherein said configuration database
2 is a configuration database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.

1 9. A computer system comprising:
2 a central processing unit (CPU);
3 a random access memory (RAM);
4 a read only memory (ROM);
5 an I/O adapter; and
6 a bus system coupling said CPUs to said ROM, said I/O adapter, and said RAM,
7 wherein a sub-system within said computer system further comprises:
8 circuitry for tagging first missing resources in a system error log which are
9 missing because of reassignment;
10 circuitry for querying a configuration database in said system for resources
11 identified as missing resources and adding said missing resources to a missing resource
12 List as second missing resources;
13 circuitry for updating said missing resource List by deleting any of said tagged
14 first missing resources which are included in said missing resource List as second
15 missing resources; and
16 circuitry for executing a missing resource options procedure on missing resources
17 in said updated missing resource List.

1 10. The computer system of claim 9, wherein said sub-system is a logical partition
2 (LPAR) of a said system.

1 11. The computer system of claim 9, wherein one of said first missing resources of
2 said system is a device coupled to said I/O adapter.

1 12. The computer system of claim 10, wherein said missing resources are tagged in
2 response to reassignment from a first one of said LPARs of said system to a second one
3 of said LPARs of said system.

1 13. The computer system of claim 9, wherein said configuration database is a
2 configuration database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.

1 14. A method for managing dynamic resource reassignment within a system
2 comprising the steps of:

3 determining first missing resources that are missing because of reassignment
4 within said system; and

5 updating a missing resource List by deleting any of said first missing resources
6 which are included in said missing resource List.

1 15. The method of claim 14, where in said determining step comprises:

2 tagging said first missing resources in a system error log which are missing
3 because of reassignment.

1 16. The method of claim 14 further comprising the step of:

2 generating said missing resource List by querying a configuration database in said
3 system for resources identified as missing resources and adding said missing resources
4 to said missing resource List; and

5 executing a missing resource options procedure on said missing resources in said
6 updated missing resource List.

1 17. The method of claim 15 further comprising the step of:

2 generating said missing resource List by querying a configuration database in said
3 system for resources identified as missing resources and adding said missing resources
4 to said missing resource List; and

5 executing a missing resource options procedure on said missing resources in said
6 updated missing resource List.

1 18. The method of claim 14, wherein said dynamic resource reassignment occurs
2 between logical partitions (LPARs) of said system.

1 19. The method of claim 15, wherein said missing resources are tagged in response
2 to reassignment from a first one of said LPARs of said system to a second one of said
3 LPARs of said system.

1 20. The method of claim 16, wherein said configuration database is a configuration
2 database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.

1 21. A computer program product for managing dynamic resource reassignment within
2 a system, said computer program product embodied in a machine readable medium,
3 including programming for a processor, said computer program comprising a program
4 of instructions for performing the program steps of:

5 determining first missing resources that are missing because of reassignment
6 within said system; and

7 updating a missing resource List by deleting any of said first missing resources
8 which are included in said missing resource List.

1 22. The computer program product of claim 21, where in said determining step
2 comprises:

3 tagging said first missing resources in a system error log which are missing
4 because of reassignment.

1 23. The computer program product of claim 21 further comprising the steps of:

2 generating said missing resource List by querying a configuration database in said
3 system for resources identified as missing resources and adding said missing resources
4 to said missing resource List; and

5 executing a missing resource options procedure on said missing resources in said
6 updated missing resource List.

1 24. The computer program product of claim 22 further comprising the steps of:

2 generating said missing resource List by querying a configuration database in said
3 system for resources identified as missing resources and adding said missing resources
4 to said missing resource List; and

5 executing a missing resource options procedure on said missing resources in said
6 updated missing resource List.

1 25. The computer program product of claim 21, wherein said dynamic resource
2 reassignment occurs between logical partitions (LPARs) of said system.

1 26. The computer program product of claim 22, wherein said missing resources are
2 tagged in response to reassignment from a first one of said LPARs of said system to a
3 second one of said LPARs of said system.

1 27. The computer program product of claim 23, wherein said configuration database
2 is a configuration database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.

1 28. A computer system comprising:
2 a central processing unit (CPU);
3 a random access memory (RAM);
4 a read only memory (ROM);
5 an I/O adapter; and
6 a bus system coupling said CPUs to said ROM, said I/O adapter, and said RAM,
7 wherein a sub-system within said computer system further comprises:
8 circuitry for determining first missing resources that are missing because of
9 reassignment within said system; and
10 circuitry for updating a missing resource List by deleting any of said first missing
11 resources which are included in said missing resource List.

1 29. The computer system of claim 28 further comprising:
2 circuitry for tagging said first missing resources in a system error log which are
3 missing because of reassignment.

1 30. The computer system of claim 28 further comprising:
2 circuitry for generating said missing resource List by querying a configuration
3 database in said system for resources identified as missing resources and adding said
4 missing resources to said missing resource List; and
5 circuitry for executing a missing resource options procedure on said missing
6 resources in said updated missing resource List.

1 31. The computer system of claim 29 further comprising:
2 circuitry for generating said missing resource List by querying a configuration
3 database in said system for resources identified as missing resources and adding said
4 missing resources to said missing resource List; and
5 circuitry for executing a missing resource options procedure on said missing
6 resources in said updated missing resource List.

1 32. The computer system of claim 28, wherein said dynamic resource reassignment
2 occurs between logical partitions (LPARs) of said system.

1 33. The computer system of claim 29, wherein said missing resources are tagged in
2 response to reassignment from a first one of said LPARs of said system to a second one
3 of said LPARs of said system.

1 34. The computer system of claim 30, wherein said configuration database is a
2 configuration database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.

1 35. The computer system of claim 31, wherein said configuration database is a
2 configuration database for a logical partition (LPAR) within said system.